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U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE cond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number. Under the Panenunck Reduction Act of 1995, no negrons are required to Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 0230-0245PUS1 FY 2009 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) 10/571,069-Conf. #2459 Filed December 7, 2006 Application Number THERAPEUTIC AGENT AND THERAPEUTIC METHOD FOR PERIODONTAL DISEASES AND PULPAL For DISEASES Art Unit 1649 Examiner S. N. MacFarlane This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Small Entity Fee Fee One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$130 \$65 X Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$490 \$245 245.00** Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1110 \$555 \$ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1730 \$865 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2350 \$1175 X Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. X The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number N2-2448 WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 28,977 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number/if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 APR 1 7 2009 Date (703) 205-8000 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. forms are submitted.

^{**} A one month extension of time was paid 3-16-2009.